

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:	David L. Kaplan	Conf. No.:	6154
Application No.:	10/541,182	Group No.:	1657
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Customer No.:	50828		
For:	SILK FIBROIN MATERIALS AND USE THEREOF		

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Non-final Office Action Mailed July 10, 2009 in connection with the above-identified patent application. A petition for a **Three** month extension of time together with fees is filed herewith. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the attached remarks.

**Amendment to the Specification** begins on **page 2** of this paper.

**Listing of Claims** begins on **page 5** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 10** of this paper.